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To whom it may concern,

Microsoft has gotten to the position it now enjoys through a little luck, massively copying other people's or companies ideas, and/or outright buying them. The proposed settlement will do nothing to break the stranglehold Microsoft has on the operating system market, nor will it allow other companies to compete fairly.